

## Committee Investigated Contractor's Charges

And Will Report to the Full Council Meeting Tuesday Evening

### Premier Returns

FROM THE FEDERAL CAPITAL

Satisfied With the Increased Subsidy Arrangement.

The council committee listened for four hours yesterday to the statements of E. J. Taylor, of the Taylor Construction Co., and of the city engineer, and with one or two exceptions all they got was a series of flat denials.

The city engineer denied that his inspectors had required the contractor to use too much cement; he denied that his men had caused men off the Taylor job to work on the city; he denied that work had been delayed on Fifth street because there were no grade stakes, although he admitted that the grade stakes and tile were not there on the date when the Taylor people were ready for work; he denied that he had refused written permission to tunnel for the trunk sewer on Edmonton street, but claimed that he had never been asked for the permission. The engineer admitted that he had placed a discharged employee of the Taylor Construction Co. in the position of inspector to oversee their work and that this inspector frequently went down into the ditch "to show the men how."

Mr. Black, the inspector, who was on the job when the kick about the cement came in, was present and was asked one or two questions about his part of the inspection. He said he had let as much gravel go in as his practice would permit.

The engineer claimed that the Taylor people could not get competent foremen and that the city had competent inspectors, to which Mr. Taylor retorted that the company was paying \$5 a day, whereas the city was paying \$3.

The committee decided to take up the charges made by the contractors seriatim. No. 1 alleged that they were required by the engineer to put in 178 sacks more cement per linear foot in the concrete than required by the tender, over and above the extra amount allowed for by the city council.

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### Mrs. C. J. Meadows

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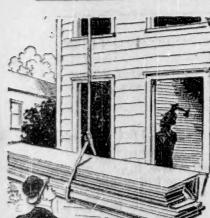
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### Infantry Lists

#### FAIRLY WELL FILLED UP

Representatives From Famous British Canadian and American Regiments.

The Infantry regiment lists that have been circulating for the last few weeks have been called in by Col. E. B. Edwards, at whose instance principally the lists were sent out. They will shortly be forwarded to the Minister of Militia. There are 506 names on the lists which would give a fine compact little regiment of four companies. A glance at the list reveals one to the varied nature, and the wide area from which Edmonton has drawn her population of young men. The list contains men from almost every regiment in the Canadian Militia, and the British Army, some from the United States and France. For example, Worcester, Second Liverpool, Durham Light Infantry, Royal Surreys, Second V.B. Essex, Dragoon Guards, South Africa, Kitchener's Horse, Midshipmen, 9th Lancers, Imperial Yeomanry, 4th King's Own, West Kent, London Rifle Brigade, Black Watch, Glasgow Highlanders, Third Quaques, Algeria, 13th Brooklyns, 2nd Oxfords, Royal Suffolks, 1st V.B. Notts & Derby, 8th M. I., East Lancs, Sherwood's Foresters, 16th Durham Rifles, 3rd V.B. Welsh, 1st Lanarkshire Rifles and the famous "Forty Two."

Premier Rutherford is back in the executive council rooms at the government building today, looking well and cheerful after his trip to Ottawa to attend the meeting of provincial premiers.

The premier says that as far as Alberta is concerned the results were eminently satisfactory; in fact they were satisfactory to all the premiers except Richard McBride of British Columbia.

According to the settlement arrived at Alberta will get \$100,000 a year additional subsidy on legislation account, making the subsidy under that head \$150,000 and the total subsidy \$700,000 or thereabouts. The legislation subsidy is based on population and will increase as the population increases, so that while it is not a matter of any great importance at the present time, it undoubtedly will become so in days to come if Alberta's hopes of future greatness are realized.

The premier explains that in order to make the settlement arrived at law, it would be necessary that an act amending the British North America Act be passed by the Dominion government and that this act be then ratified by the imperial parliament. It would probably be two years before Alberta would get any share of the additional subsidy, as it would take that long to make the amendment to the act.

WALSH MAY RUN

Bulletin Special.

Montreal, November 2.—A definite step was taken last night toward the selection of a Liberal candidate to run for St. Anne's division. At a meeting of the St. Anne's Liberal club, the name of M. J. Walsh, M. L. A., was mentioned and the club voted unanimously to support the ex-elderman at a convention which will soon be called

oil in the extra allowance lately granted by the council.

Mr. Taylor recited that the engineer required 10.12 sacks of cement per linear foot of the trunk sewer instead of 8.34 as agreed upon by him.

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McDougall Methodist, corner College and First street; pastor, Rev. C. H. Huestis, M.A.—The pastor Rev. C. H. Huestis, will preach at both services. At the close of the morning service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. The evening subject will be "The Contribution of Modern Thought to Religion." Sunday School and Bible classes at 3 p.m.

Grace Methodist, corner Sutherland and Kinistino; pastor, Rev. A. S. Tuttle, B.A.

Re-opening services tomorrow. Rev. Dr. Daly of Wetaskiwin, preaches morning and evening. Special music rendered by the choir, morning "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"; "Ye Shall Dwell in the Land"; anthem, "Come Ye Thankful People Come"; "O Dear and Blessed Country"; male quartette "Light of Light."

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St. Joachim's Roman Catholic—high mass 10.30 a.m., evening service 7 p.m.

Queen's Avenue Presbyterian, corner Queen's Avenue and Sutherland street; C. A. Myers, pastor—Communion services at 11 a.m. conducted by Rev. D. Herdman, of Calgary.

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St. John's, German Evangelical Lutheran, corner Kinistino and Ardmore streets; pastor, Rev. H. Walbaum, 1223 Kinistino avenue—Services tomorrow at 11.30 a.m. and 7.45 p.m. Service in English at 2.30 p.m.

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St. Paul's, Anglican, corner of Kinistino and Third street; Rev. H. H. Wilkinson, M. A., vicar—Services tomorrow as usual at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The vicar will conduct the services.

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German Baptist, corner Namayo and Isabella street; Rev. A. H. Hager, pastor.

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Baptist church, Third street north—Public worship at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The Rev. A. M. McDonald preaches morning and evening tomorrow.

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First Presbyterian, corner of Jasper and Third street; D. D. McQueen, D.D., pastor—The pastor preaches in the morning and evening.

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### Grand Jury Condemns Station

Winnipeg, Nov. 2.—Criminal condemned the station as being the scene of a searching condemnation by the Grand Jury in making their presentation at the assizes here today. It said in part: "We regret to note the increase in crime in this judicial district as evidenced by the large number of cases before us. A large percentage of these originate among what is called the foreign element. We believe that at some time these people will learn to appreciate the privileges and liberties we have to one and the same in Canada and become, as a class, law abiding citizens. At the city police station we regret to have to report most unsatisfactorily. The condition is deplorable. The building is old, woodwork decayed and it is in a state of general disrepair. It is impossible for any prisoner to occupy these cells without being infested with vermin. Sleeping accommodations are narrow, with hard benches and apparently no covering is furnished. The food supplied is entirely inefficient; only a small amount of meat is provided, and that apparently of the poorest quality. The treatment of the inmates is inhuman.

Portage La Prairie, Man., Nov. 3.—After being out for four hours, the jury in the Grobb murder case returned at 8 o'clock last night with a verdict of "not guilty" on the ground of insanity. Grobb was then remanded to jail by His Lordship to await the pleasure of the Lieutenant-Governor.

MINING MERGER

Bulletin Special.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—It is understood that amalgamation of all the Tretheway mining properties involving over three million dollars, is contemplated.

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STARTING NEW POWER WORKS

Bulletin Special.

Hamilton, Nov. 2.—The electric power was turned on last night at Niagara Falls, and worked very successfully. There is every likelihood that power will be delivered in Toronto Monday morning. Tomorrow afternoon the lines from Toronto to Niagara will be connected at a point near the fitting basin at the beach.

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ARRESTED FOR FORGERY

Bulletin Special.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 3.—Advices are received from Portland, of the arrest there of Betah Smith, said to be a son of Rev. George Smith of Wadham, son of a series of eight forgeries, one of which the name of Frank L. Kerr, of Wadham & Kerr Bros., was used. These were passed upon Portland business houses within a fortnight. Smith has been confined, saying he expects remittance and is making restitution. After incarceration, he is said to have attempted self-destruction by hanging himself with his suspenders to the cell door grating.

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DIED OF HEART FAILURE

Bulletin Special.

Winnipeg, Nov. 3.—J. B. Nash, secretary to the Indian Commissioner in Winnipeg, died very suddenly last night at his home, No. 65 Hargrave street. Mr. Nash had been feeling poorly for a few days, but this indisposition was not the cause of his death. He was carried away by a sudden attack of heart failure.

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RECOMMENDED MERCY

Bulletin Special.

Belleville, Ont., Nov. 2.—The celebrated Klingbell murder trial was concluded at 6 o'clock this afternoon in the tall assizes, before Justice Britton. The jury had been out just four and a half hours, when they returned with the following verdict: "We find Ferdinand Klingbell guilty of manslaughter, with a strong recommendation to mercy."

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CONSOLIDATING MANAGEMENT

Bulletin Special.

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—Sir Leonard Sharman, manager of the Department of Railways and Canals, has been appointed controller and treasurer of the Government railways with headquarters at Moncton. The present position of treasurer and accountant of the Intercolonial will be abolished.

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ALDERMEN ATE VENISON

Winnipeg, Nov. 2.—A story to the effect that the members of the city council's party that visited the Pointe du Bois papaite on the Winnipeg river bought and ate moose has been brought to the attention of Charles Barber, provincial game guardian and is now being investigated by that official. If the case can be proved against the Aldermen the fine for each would run from \$25 to \$200.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Hon. A. C. Rutherford, premier of Alberta, who has been east in attendance at the conference of the provincial premiers at Ottawa last month, has returned and was in his office today.

In 1902 Mr. Douglas came to Edmonton and opened in the same line of business. His success has been phenomenal, and the business increased to such an extent that in 1905 a limited company was formed. The company at the present time is probably one of the largest west of Winnipeg.

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Christian Science Services will be held at Second Street, opposite the Third Rink, Sunday at 11 a.m., Bible reading 3 p.m., gospel meeting 7 p.m.

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## Main Street Property

\$8,500 Buys one of the finest corners on Quayes avenue, with sixty feet frontage and a good eight-roomed cottage on the property. This property is situated near the city market and is one of the best sites for a large boarding house. Good terms.

\$14,000 for 25 feet just opposite the old post office. This is splendid property and brings in a good rental; this is one of our snaps.

## Warehouse Property

\$6,000 For corner position two lots on Peace avenue. This is one of the best warehouse sites in the city. Get after this at once, as it will sell quickly. Easy terms.

\$10,000 corner position on Mackenzie and Fourth street, with one hundred and fifty feet on McKenzie.

\$7,500, choice location on Third street between Peace and McKenzie.

## Residence Properties

\$1,000 Buys two of the finest view lots on the west side of Twelfth street, together with magnificent brick residence, up-to-date in every way, hot water, heating, maple flooring, ceiling cellar, etc. This is a beautiful spot. Very easy terms.

\$12,000 Buys one of the finest houses on Sixth street, south of Jasper, with fine frontage on Fifth street. This house is beautifully finished and up-to-date in every way. Here is a property with the ground around it necessary to show off a beautiful home.

\$18,000 Buys two lots and neat little house situated in good locality on Sulphur street, suitable terms.

## Vacant Lots

\$1,500 each, for Lots 83, 84, Block 11. H. B. R. These two lots are situated just on top of the bank commanding one of the finest views in the city, facing the Parliament Buildings. This is our special snap - this week. Terms.

\$10,000 each for two lots on Elizabeth street; big snap; easy terms.

\$15,000 Buys two dandy lots, corner position on Syndicate avenue, close in. Very easy terms.

\$7,500 Buys dandy lot on Boyle street. This is a big snap.

## Business Propositions

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\$35,000 For sale general hardware business, located on Main street in good locality, one of big business.

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## STRATHCONA.

## SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

The concert given last night by the Winnipeg Dramatic trio in the Methodist church was listened to by an audience that well filled the building. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Johnston, happily presided and at the close proposed a vote of thanks, which was heartily approved of. The young ladies of the trio, Misses Maloney and Moir, contralto and soprano, and Miss Patterson, reader, gave an excellent performance, which was much enjoyed by all.

The vital statistics for the month of October give 34 births, 15 marriages and 16 deaths.

Mr. H. A. Flemming, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Halifax, who has been visiting here for some days, is a brother of Rev. David Flemming, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

The Ladies' Hospital Aid meet in the fire hall Monday at three o'clock. Dr. Marion has returned from Chicago, where he took a post graduate course in the Chicago College of Dental Surgery.

A siding for a wrecking train is being put in by the C.P.R. near the water tank.

Several changes in the farm implement business of the city have taken Benson and company, handling the McCormick, have dissolved partnership, Messrs. A. Benson and R. Purvis retiring. J. Crane, late of Chicago, is opening north of Wainwright's barn on Main street and will handle the Deering.

The Strathcona General Hospital has received \$90 as the result of Miss Wainwright's concert on Tuesday night.

Mr. Francis B. Liden, of Wetsaskiwin, who recently purchased the Big Island Mine up the Saskatchewan left for the mine this morning with a number of men.

As the result of a Galician wedding and the subsequent celebration one of the participants was summoned before Magistrate Tipton at the complaint of another for using insulting and provoking language, and after a lengthy hearing was fined \$3 and costs.

Twelve Galicians who were laid off from the trenching work on the sewerage construction yesterday afternoon marched through the town this morning in search of the contractor to obtain their pay. An Englishman who was also employed with them demanded his money at the moment of quitting work and secured it, and this led the others to seek immediate payment. The contractor told them he would settle this evening, and while they were in consultation they were corralled by the tax collector, who demanded their poll tax fee of \$3.

Joseph Matthews, of Badtford, who at first gave his name as Joseph Rogers, was arrested several days ago by Chief of Police Patterson and arraigned before Inspector Worsley, R.N.W.M.P., charged with stealing nineteen pairs of boots, which were found in his possession, from the C.P.R. After hearing several witnesses the inspector remanded him to stand trial at the coming session of the supreme court. Chief Patterson later found 12 more pairs of boots and a box containing five pairs hidden in different places. The boots were claimed to have been taken from the C.P.R. car which had been broken open at Strathcona. Rogers only came to the town a few days ago.

Dominion Hotel: Francis B. Linden, Wetsaskiwin; H. Plant, Strathcona; W. M. Armstrong, Edmonton; John Kalsstrom, Leduc; G. Parrett, Edmonton; W. J. Chalmers, Calgary; J. D. Groff, Wetsaskiwin; A. Schmidt, Wetsaskiwin; W. McKenzie, Wetsaskiwin.

Strathcona Hotel: R. V. Gibbons, Calgary; A. McLean, London; A. F. Houston, Montreal; S. G. Grossch, Calgary; W. H. McBrien, Winnipeg; C. M. Scott, Winnipeg; O. C. Renfrew, London; Jas. Gordon, city; W. H. Whelan, city; E. J. Marsh, Toronto; W. H. Heame, Calgary; W. S. Burgard, Calgary; A. Addie, Nelson.

WHITFORD  
Correspondence.

Whitford, Oct. 31.—The people of Whitford, B. N. 382 intend in the near future to erect a new schoolhouse that will be a credit to this district.

Miss Purdy, the teacher in this district, has been re-engaged for another term. The trustees are fortunate in having secured the services of a teacher of such sterling character and marked ability.

Mrs. Walker and Thomas have returned to their homes near Coaticook, Que.

An entertainment is expected to be given by the people of Andrew S. D. on the 16th of November, the occasion being the close of Mr. Hamilton's six month term as teacher in that district.

Mr. Hamilton intends looking after local interests near Vermilion City during the winter.

Mr. G. G. Moore visited this district with a bunch of horses last week. He has a large range near the mouth of the Vermilion river.

Prairie fire did great damage here last week. Messrs. W. J. Cinnamond and Stewart had large straw stacks burned.

Mr. Board reported to have lost two stacks of hay, Mr. Houston one stack, Mr. Campbell two stacks; S. Richardson, five stacks, and Messrs. Shoff and S. Elsair all their hay and their buildings too. Messrs. Brown and Tate lost five hundred bushels of oats, and no doubt there is much damage and distress we have not yet heard of.

A man driving along near Cucumber Lake was observed from a distance to deliberately set down and start a prairie fire.

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## • LOCAL •

Workmen are engaged in laying water pipe along Mackenzie Avenue between Third and Fifth streets.

In police court yesterday Geo. Mann was sent up for trial by Magistrate Wade for concealing property which he had found on the street.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Hospital Aid will be held on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school room of All Saint's church.

A meeting of the executive of the senior hockey team will be held tonight in the Young Liberal Club Rooms at 7:30. A full attendance is requested.

The Empire Realty Co. have been appointed agents for the Luce Land Co. of St. Paul's for a tract of 100,000 acres on the Stettler branch of the C. P. R.

Pastor McDonald will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening, his subject in the evening will be "A Good Investment." This is the second of a series to young men.

The Grand Trunk Pacific company are erecting a camp at Clover Bar, 60 ft. by 100 ft., for the housing of the men engaged in constructing the railway bridge at that point.

While the Red Cross ambulance was going up First street this morning ringing the gong a team belonging to the Canadian Cartage Company, took fright and ran into a horse and buggy damaging the seat and shafts.

Miss Davidson, of Milton, Mass., will give demonstrations of the various preparations of cocoa at the Hudson's Bay store. The demonstrations will be given daily until Wednesday, the 16th. Miss Davidson will wear a picturesque Dutch costume at her work. She is representing Walter Baker & Co., of Milton, Mass.

The next meeting of the Elks will be held next Friday evening, the 11th, in Renfrew's academy. It is expected that about twenty or one hundred of the brethren from Calgary will be present on that occasion. They will arrive by special train from Calgary at 4:30 p.m.

In connection with the return visit of the Ainslie opera Company, the management of the Edmonton opera house have opened a subscription list at Archibald's drug store. Those who are on the list may be eligible for a book of operatic tickets which amounts to a considerable reduction on the regular single prices.

W. H. Clark and Co., Ltd., have now resumed operations in their factory after a shut down of three weeks, caused by a broken crank pin in the engine. Thanks are due to the C.N.R. for their courtesy in allowing the use of their men and machinery to repair part of the damage.

The Minot Daily Reporter, referring to the play "Jerry from Kerry" which appears in the opera house here next week says the troupe carry a fine band and orchestra, and that Manager Bacon of the opera house in Minot wanted to book the troupe for a second performance.

The many friends and acquaintances of F. J. Bradbury will be shocked to hear that he died at the general hospital yesterday evening of typhoid fever. The body will be taken to Ingarsoll, Ontario, for interment, leaving here on the afternoon train over the C.P.R. Mr. Thompson, of Ingarsoll, brother-in-law of the deceased, arrived last Saturday and will take charge of the remains. Mrs. Bradbury and children will also return with them.

Messrs. Tucker and Moneypenny, china and glass merchants, formerly of Stratton, have established in Edmonton. Their store is situated on Queen's Avenue opposite the city market square. The firm have just opened up and this week have been busy unpacking their stock and arranging it for display. An immense metal sign across the front and on top of the store bearing in mammoth letters the label, "China Hall," at once suggests to the observer the business carried on by the firm.

The students of the high school have organized a hockey club. A meeting of the boys was held on Wednesday evening at which W. Walker presided. The following are the officers: honorary president, John I. Mills; president, W. R. R. B.A.; secretary-treasurer, W. Walker; executive committee, R. Beale, G. Webster, C. McKinney. The boys intend to ask for a small subscription list from the citizens and business men to finance the venture.

A good size and appreciative audience was present at the concert in Queen's Avenue Presbyterian church on Thursday evening to hear the Wimberger trio. The program was well rendered and warmly applauded by the audience. Miss Maloney captured the crowd with her first number "Whisper and I Shall Hear," while Miss Mor in a soprano of excellent quality and rich character, sang "Dearly" and "Annie Laurie," which was sung by request. Miss Peterson's readings were popular and showed much feeling and power. The three young ladies gave an excellent concert last night in Stratton and have made a reputation here which will ensure an enthusiastic reception if they return.

## CITY NEWS

### THE ANSELL CASE.

The first evidence in the case against R. H. Ansell, proprietor of the Grill Cafe, was taken yesterday afternoon in the police court before C. H. Stuart Wade, J.P. The charge was passing a worthless cheque on the Dominion Bank, by which Ansell obtained \$10 from C. W. Wells, of the Edmonton News company. The case was not finished when the court adjourned until Monday afternoon at 1:30 p.m.

J. E. Wallbridge, of Wallbridge and Macdonald, appeared for the defendant. Mr. Cogswell, of Macdonald, McKinnon and Cogswell, appeared for the prosecution.

### The Evidence.

C. W. Wells was the first witness sworn. He identified the cheque in question as the one presented by Ansell on Saturday on the Dominion Bank, and which he had cashed. The cheque was subsequently refused by the bank.

Mr. E. C. Bowker, manager of the Dominion Bank, was next sworn. He said the accused carried an account with the bank. He had been granted an overdraft of \$100 until the end of last week, which was to be covered by Saturday, October 27th. On Thursday Ansell's account in the bank was overdrawn \$136. Ansell said he had \$500 coming on Saturday from the Bank of Montreal, which he would deposit in the Dominion Bank. Thirty dollars was deposited on Saturday. A large number of cheques presented on Saturday and Monday were refused. The account now stands as it stood on Saturday night, October 27th. Mr. Bowker could not swear without the books whether Ansell ever had an overdraft before.

R. Blomfield (sworn): "I am teller and accountant in the Dominion Bank. I saw Ansell nearly every day last week. I saw him last Saturday between 1 and 2 p.m. He said he was going to make a deposit of \$150 on Saturday night. He told me voluntarily he was going to get \$500 from the Bank of Montreal. He also told me later he had the \$500. I saw this cheque (i.e., cheque given to Wells) and refused to pay several cheques. There were over a dozen anyway. There was a deposit on Saturday night of \$10 and \$20 by Grill restaurant boy. That left an overdraft of \$106.

Cross-examined: "I do not know if defendant had an overdraft before. The books will show."

Charles Gifford (sworn): "I am ledger keeper in the Dominion Bank. I heard the conversion of Ansell with Blomfield on Saturday afternoon. He said he had \$500, which he had spent all except \$1.50, which he would deposit in the Dominion Bank. He told me he was going to get \$500 from the C.N.R. ticket clerk and telegraph operator at Edmonton. I do not remember selling tickets to defendant and wife. We have no way of ascertaining. Can tell if we sold one to Winnipeg. I could identify such ticket if sold by me."

Cross-examined: "The defendant had an overdraft once before of a small amount."

Wm. Kirkpatrick (sworn): "I am C.N.R. ticket clerk and telegraph operator at Edmonton. I do not remember selling tickets to defendant and wife. We have no way of ascertaining. Can tell if we sold one to Winnipeg. I could identify such ticket if sold by me."

The Crystal Block The Crystal Block on Jasper Avenue which has been under construction for the last three months, is now completed and it is safe to say that no better building for store purposes or offices is found in the city. The work has been carefully inspected and performed from the foundation up. Mr. John Cope did the brick work while Mr. Cameron Anderson the carpenter work.

The stone is 100 feet x 28 feet, with a ceiling 15 feet high and overlaid with embossed metal. The main entrance is arched over with a paneling of natural colored fir. The transom is fitted up with luxifer prisms which collect the light from the outside and dispense it towards the inside thereby increasing the illumination within.

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## AS TO RETURNS

Calgary Albertan: "Already Calgary has far outstripped Victoria and Edmonton has never been much more than half as large in the Clearing Book returns than Calgary." As the clearing house returns consist mostly of cheques deposited at the wrong banks their volume may indicate several things quite different from the condition of trade or the general prosperity of a community. They may only indicate that many business houses patronize banks so far distant that their cheques are usually cashed at some nearer branch of another bank. Or again they may indicate the presence of a not unknown expedient of modern finance, in which the bearer of a cheque requests its presentation at a bank other than that on which it is drawn, trusting to be able to replenish his funds before the cheque reaches the institution in which his alleged wealth is stored.

## A SPLENDID SHOWING

Edmonton people will find cause of gratification in the census returns showing that their city had a population of 11,163 four months ago, and that during the past five years, nearly 2000 people per year have been added to our population. The present figures are 371 less than those of the preliminary report made public sometime since and which were subject to revision. The disappointment of this reduction will however be small, because probably at no time in the city's history has the number of new-comers been greater than during the past few months. Considering the increase, it is not unreasonable to calculate the probable present population of Edmonton as between 11,500 and 12,000. This is a showing of which we may well be proud.

Edmonton is not alone in the rejoicing as every city and town in the province shows phenomenal growth of population. This is particularly true of Calgary, which is credited with an increase of 10,112 during the past five years and a total population at the time of taking the census of 14,203. This is 2266 larger than that given the city by the unrevised statistics. The chief cause of jubilation to the Calgary press however, appears to be not that their city has made splendid progress and has reached such respectable proportions, but that Edmonton has not overtaken her and still has 240 fewer citizens than her southern neighbor. Why the expansion of Edmonton should excite more interest in the Calgary papers than the development of their own city is not quite clear, but it begins to look as if these frequent proclamations of Calgary's superiority were made in an attempt to ward off an unpleasant apprehension by frequency of self-assurance.

## IGNORANCE OR MALICE

The Edmonton Journal recently reported and commented on the sale of 390,000 acres of public land by the Government to the Alberta Land Co., and did so in a manner calculated to give the impression that the sale was not made in accord with law, regulations and customs available to all, but as a special act of favor toward the Alberta Land Company or some party or parties interested therein.

The charge is that the Government sold the Alberta Land Co. a tract of 390,000 acres somewhere in the vicinity of Medicine Hat for the price of \$3.00 per acre, allowing as a reduction from this price the cost of irrigation up to \$2 per acre, the net cost of the irrigated land thus being \$1.00 per acre.

As to whether or not such sale was made the Bulletin is not in a position to say, but it is in a position to say that if such sale was not made it was not made either because the Alberta Land Co. did not want the land at the price or because the Government set aside the irrigation act, the regulations made thereunder and the custom followed in connection therewith.

The land in question, assuming the sale to have been made, constitutes part of what has been known as the "semiarid" belt—land which is not suitable to agriculture except where irrigated. Under the irrigation regulations the

policy adopted for bringing this land under settlement and cultivation has been to sell it at the rate of \$3.00 per acre, allowing a reduction from this price of the cost of irrigation work, up to \$2 per acre. That is, if the irrigation costs \$1.00 per acre the purchaser pays \$2 per acre for the land, while if it costs \$2 per acre or \$10 per acre he pays \$1 per acre for the land. The judge of the cost of the irrigation work is the commissioner of irrigation.

These regulations have been in force for years and are of course open to anyone who has the money and the inclination to avail himself of the opportunity. Under these circumstances to accuse the Government of partiality in making a sale such as that alleged to have been made is exactly as honest and as reasonable as to accuse them of favoritism for accepting a settler's application for a homestead.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next session thereof, for an act to incorporate a company to be called "The Saskatchewan Valley and Hudson's Bay Railway Company", with power to construct a railway from the city of Edmonton North Easterly and Easterly following the north bank of the North Saskatchewan River to a point at or near Smoky Lake; thence either Easterly or South Easterly in the direction of the said North Saskatchewan River, the North branch thereof to a point at or near Prince Albert; thence North Easterly to a point at or near Pelican Lake or continuing North Easterly to a point South of Ile La Crosse Lake; thence easterly to a point at or near Pelican Lake and from a point at or near Pelican Lake to Port Churchill on the Hudson's Bay.

DATED at Edmonton, Alberta, this 28th day of September, 1906.

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## Telegraphic.

### TICKET SCALPER CAUGHT

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 1.—In the country police court yesterday M. J. Kane of the Kane Land Co., with offices in Winnipeg and Battleford was arraigned on a charge of ticket scalping preferred by the Canadian Northern Railway. It appears that Kane occasionally conducted land seekers from the United States to farm lands in western Canada. These land seekers on account of their immigration to Western Canada received a very enticing rate of about one cent per mile and very often after buying a return ticket made up their minds to stay in the country, some selling the return portions of tickets and others turning them in to the railway company for a refund as required by law. One of Mr. Kane's land seekers decided to stay and the ticket was given to Mr. Kane who sold it to a lady of Ranfurly for \$19. This made a profit to Kane of \$8.55. For the illegal act the magistrate taxed him \$20.00 and costs, required him to make restitution to the railway company and to pay the costs of the court which in all amounts to \$45.20. It is not generally known that the sale of railway tickets is absolutely prohibited by law except by regularly authorized agents and the railways in western Canada are using every endeavor to protect their interests.

### KILLED BY TRAIN

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 1.—The fast west bound Wabash struck and instantly killed Mrs. Louis LeFebvre, 60 years old near Walkerville, today. The body was smashed almost to pulp and was almost unrecognizable. Mrs. LeFebvre on the way to church to save probably half a minute's time attempted to run across the track. The body was hurled with terrific force against a telegraph post.

### TRAGEDY UNEARTHED

Shelton, Conn., Nov. 1.—At a tragedy was revealed here today when the bodies of Charles Quaiza and his wife were found dead in their home with their throats cut. The husband had murdered his wife after a quarrel and then gashed his own throat. The bodies were found in their bedroom by neighbors. Jealousy was the cause of the trouble.

### THE WEATHER

Winnipeg, Nov. 2.—The Canadian Meteorological service weather observations taken at 7 o'clock last evening Winnipeg time—

Port Arthur 40, cloudy; Winnipeg 40, cloudy; Minnedosa 32, cloudy; Quappelle 34, raining; Swift Current 34, cloudy; Battleford 36, cloudy; Prince Albert 34, snowing; Medicine Hat 40 clear; Calgary 32 clear; Edmonton 28, cloudy.

The weather is unsettled and showers in the western provinces with strong indications of a cold wave advancing from the northward. Minimum and maximum temperatures—Dawson 10-32, Atlin 30-32, Fort Simpson 30-40, Victoria 40-52, Vancouver 34-49, Barkerville 24-30.

### LONDON ELECTIONS

London, England, Nov. 2.—The triennial elections of the London borough councils have resulted in an overwhelming victory for the municipal reformers who in some of the boroughs absolutely wiped out the progressives. The victors were formerly known as moderates and represent the unionist party and the progressives represent the Liberal and labor party. After several years progressive regime during which, it is contended the taxes were increased to abnormal figures in consequence of huge expenditures, including palatial workhouses, Turkish baths for workmen who did not use them and club houses and other similar municipal luxuries, the borough councils are once again great strongholds of Toryism. The full figures are not yet available. The municipal reformers had won 610 seats, the Progressives 222 and the labor and independent candidates 77, out of a total of 1,362. The provincial municipal elections have also resulted in a rout for the Liberals. The campaigns in the province were mostly conducted on provincial party lines. Incomplete results show that the Liberals have sustained a net loss of 33 representatives, and that the Conservatives have a net gain of 59. The labor party has a net gain of nine. In London the labor party candidates seem to have fared even worse than the Progressives, but they make small gains in some provinces.

### DOWLER HILL

Councillor Stevens is pushing the work of grading the Dowler Hill these days. Although a rough-looking place to construct a road, yet he is fast bringing the unwilling and rough banks into shape. The steam shovel is working well; Clover Bar people showed their wisdom by staying with the Dowler hill.

### THE GROBB CASE

Portage la Prairie, Nov. 2.—Ell Grobb charged with the murder of John W. Clarkson at Treherne, Man., on November 17, 1906, was tonight declared "not guilty" by the jury at the assizes. The verdict was brought in on account of insanity. The verdict is a most peculiar one and establishes a peculiar condition of affairs. Grobb was tried as to insanity by a special jury, which declared him sane. He was then put on trial for murder, and another jury declared him insane. Immediately on the rendering of the verdict Judge Perdue ordered that the man be kept in custody in jail, pending the court's consultation with the Dominion cabinet. When the verdict was declared, Grobb jumped to his feet and said: "I intend to appeal this case as I can fetch proof that I am sane." Grobb shot Ballif Clarkson near Treherne when the former had ten sentries to make a seizure. Grobb maintained that he had the right to shoot the man, who refused to leave his property.

### BLOCKAD ECERTAIN

Bulletin Special.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Navigation companies and shipping and milling interests are authority for the statement that despite every effort a blockade equal to that of '95 is imminent. The Grand Trunk has all orders filled for shipments from Georgian Bay ports to Montreal up to November 15th. Many complaints have been laid before the Railway Commission and all agree that the car shortage is at the bottom of the trouble. Elevators are nearly all congested and the railways cannot supply cars to clear them. New York is also congested, blocking that avenue of relief. Reciprocal demurrage charges against railways has been suggested as a means of getting relief.

### HOUSE MEETS ON 23RD

Bulletin Special.

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—There was a meeting of the cabinet this afternoon, when it was decided to summon parliament for November 23rd. The proclamation will appear in tomorrow's Canada Gazette. It is expected that the speech from the throne will be adjoined after a week's discussion so that there will be about three weeks left before adjournment for the Christmas holidays to debate the tariff. It is more than likely that an adjournment will be made about December 21st until the 7th or 8th of January. There are four vacancies in the Senate to be filled before the House meets. Two are in Nova Scotia and two in New Brunswick. The last elections for the House of Commons will take place the day before parliament meets with the exception of Nicolet, if the Postmaster General decides to sit for Gaspé instead of Nicolet.

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## CITY NEWS

## PRINTERS ORGANIZE.

The printers organized their hockey team last night for the season of 1906-07 and elected the following officers:

Hon. President—Hon. Frank Oliver.  
Patrons—Messrs. McPherson, Hull, McCorkindale, Young and Duncan Marshall.

President—W. S. Haines.

Vice-president—Wm. McAdams.

Secretary—Colin G. Groft.

Treasurer—W. McAuley.

Manager—Alf. McIsaac.

Committee—Messrs. Frey, Day.

Keays, Glass and Nash.

The colors of the team are white and black. A strong team will be entered in the city league and a good season's sport is expected.

## CHURCH RE-OPENING.

The enlargement of Grace Methodist church which has been under way for several weeks is about completed and the opening services will be held tomorrow, Rev. Dr. Day of Waskesiu, preaching morning and evening. Special music will be rendered.

On Monday evening the choir will give a sacred concert in the church. They will be assisted by leading local voices and promise an entertainment of unusual merit.

The extension built adds about fifty per cent to the seating capacity of the building.

## A YUKON OLD TIMER.

Alex. Macdonald, who is in the city at present, is one of the cobraed characters of Canada's greatest mining camp. He was in the Yukon before the gold of Bonanza creek was struck, and when the big strike was made in August '96, he was one of the first prospectors to reach the ground. He located right pay at the very start and was the heaviest shipper in the first consignment of gold which came out by the steamer Portland in the spring of '97. Recognizing at the very first that the Klondike was a great camp, he bought right and left and in the boom days of '98 and '99 he was working seventy to eighty claims on Bonanza, Eldorado and Henkuk. At times he had as many as five hundred men working.

During the last few years he has disposed of most of his interests on Bonanza and Eldorado to the Guggenheim syndicate, who are undertaking a hydraulic and dredging scheme which promises to be the biggest place proposition in the world. This summer they are putting in a ditch thirty miles long to get water onto their property in the construction of which they had 1500 men employed with steam shovels, electric cranes, dredges and all the most modern construction machinery. They have recently absented the Rothschild interests and are still buying claims on all sides. They propose to dredge the beds of the rivers and hydraulic the bunches, practically skimming the surfaces of the whole country and sending it through their flumes, to be carried down the Yukon river.

Mr. Macdonald is naturally a great believer in the Klondike, and in conversation with a British reporter this morning stated that it was a great mistake to presume that the camp is worked out. On the contrary, he claims that as a gold producer, it is only in its infancy, and that when the dredging and hydraulic plants now under way are working, the product of the camp will be greater than ever before in its history. He says that the Guggenheims could not even estimate the amount of gold they have in their holdings in Bonanza and Eldorado, but that it will certainly prove to be something enormous.

Speaking of his Edmonton schemes, Mr. Macdonald says that he has had his eye on this city for some time. About a year ago he purchased a stone quarry on the Saskatchewan sixty miles below the city. The exact location is the south half of 28, township 58, R. 16. The rock he says is the finest kind of building stone and he believes he has a proposition that is worth while. He is going east in a few days to make arrangements for the construction of a light draft river boats capable of carrying 250 to 300 tons on an eighteen inch or two foot draft, which he proposes to have operating next summer, when he will work the quarry on a large scale, furnishing building stone for Edmonton and all the towns along the line.

Regarding the coal proposition, he had very little to say except that he had acquired considerable coal property and that he believed the coal mining business was going to be one of the biggest things in Central Alberta.

Mr. Macdonald leaves on Monday for Ottawa, but will return to the city later and spend the most of the winter in Edmonton, going in over the ice to Dawson in the spring. He is registered at the St. James hotel.

## LAND OFFICE RETURNS.

The returns for the month of October for the Edmonton land office were as follows:

Homestead entries ..... 387  
Applications for patents ..... 185  
Letters received ..... 29 2  
Letters sent ..... 2363

For the same month last year, the returns were:

Homestead entries ..... 243  
Applications for patents ..... 229  
Letters received ..... 1792  
Letters sent ..... 1743

## TELEGRAPHIC

## WIRELESS CONFERENCE.

Bulletin Special.

Berlin, Nov. 1—Delegates to the wireless telegraphy conference finished their work today and expect to sign at the convention on Saturday. The agreement will be framed upon the principle of free communication between all systems, but Great Britain and Italy will sign with reservations designed to protect the existing arrangements with the Marconi company. The term radio-telegraphy was chosen as the one to be used officially in defining the new junction of electricity. The delegates of the United States at the beginning of the conference announced their position to be for an international agreement providing for the unrestricted exchange of messages between ship and shore regardless of system. Germany supported the United States regarding inter-communication between ship and shore, but at the first session of the conference practically all the delegates opposed the idea of free exchange of messages between ship and ship. Great Britain reluctantly led the opposition to both contentions, but stood ultimately alone except for Italy, all the other maritime powers taking the view of the United States.

LARGER GUNS NEEDED.

Bulletin Special.

London, October 31—The Admiralty is contemplating the construction of a battleship larger and more powerful than the Dreadnought, having guns that will throw those of the latter into the shade. It is impossible to reply to the new German ships by putting more 12-inch guns on the battleship. The conditions necessitate a new type of monster gun.

It is believed that the pattern chosen will be a gun of 13 1/2 inches calibre, roughly 50 1/2 feet long, weighing from 55 to 60 tons. Probably eight of these will be mounted on each ship, so that all can be fired on a broadside of six ahead or six astern.

CANADA'S DISPLAY GOOD.

Bulletin Special.

Ottawa, Nov. 1—In reply to a congratulatory cable from Laurier, wishing the New Zealand exhibition, which opened today at Christchurch, every success, Premier Ward replied, "New Zealand heartily reciprocates and appreciates Canada's good wishes. The exhibition is a magnificent success, and Canada's display at the very first that the Klondike was a great camp, he bought right and left and in the boom days of '98 and '99 he was working seventy to eighty claims on Bonanza, Eldorado and Henkuk. At times he had as many as five hundred men working.

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## BOND GOVERNMENT.

Bulletin Special.

Halifax, N.S., Nov. 2.—A St. John, Newfoundland, dispatch, says, "The Bond government has decided to test the validity of the Modus Vivendi and issued an official notice enforcing the Ball Act, which forbids Newfoundlanders to fish on board foreign vessels in colonial waters. It intends to prosecute one or more colonial fishermen, shipped outside the three mile limit after these men have been paid off by vessels on which they are serving."

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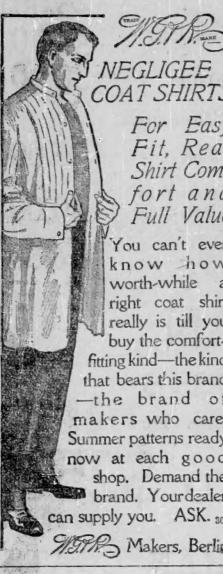
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## CITY NEWS

### ORDER OF ELKS.

A Lodge of the Canadian Benevolent Order of Elks has been organized and instituted in the city of Edmonton. The first meeting was held on Thursday evening under the direction of Organizer F. E. Aikman, in the Empire theatre, and the applications of one hundred and twenty-five members were received.

The organization of the Lodge has taken place under the most enthusiastic and happy-omened auspices and promises to be the second largest Lodge of the order ever organized in Canada. The members consist for the most part of young men, than whom it would be difficult to imagine an assembly more typical of western life with all its energy and optimism.

After receiving the names of the applicants the full list was accepted unanimously upon motion of Mr. John I. Mills and Dr. Jamieson. Following this the organizer then administered the obligations and admitted each applicant to the full status of membership in the order. After appointing an acting chairman, Mr. F. B. Sommerville, and an acting secretary, Mr. W. G. Garrison, Organizer Aikman explained portions of the ritual, which was followed by the election of officers. These are as follows:

Exalted ruler—Bro. Frank B. Sommerville.

Esteemed lecturing knight—Brother Stockard.

Esteemed leading knight—Brother Strong.

Esteemed royal knight—Brother McLeod.

Past exalted ruler—Brother Hellwell.

Chaplain—Brother Mills.

Secretary—Brother Garrison.

Treasurer—Brother Jackson, T.S.F.

Esquire—Brother Macie.

Watchman—Brother Farquharson.

Aides—Brothers Brunton and Scott.

Guides—Brothers McFeeley and Whittaker.

Keeper of paraphernalia—Brother McCullum.

Inside guard—Brother Scarth.

Tyler—Brother Ferris, E. L.

Musician—Brother Glover.

Trustees—Brothers O'Connor, Bowker and Jackson, G.

Press reporter—Brother Blue.

Committee on bylaws—Brothers Rookes, Mackie and Robertson.

Committee on location—Brothers Moser, Dale and Calderon.

Committee on entertainment—Brothers Palmer, Jamieson, Parlee, Frank Faul and Sommerville.

Dramatic committee—Bro. Brunton, Rookes, Macie, Dunn, Scarth and Brown, F. W.

Reception committee—Bro. Sommerville, F. B., Stockard, Strong, McLeod, Hellwell, Palmer, Jamieson, Parlee, Paul, F. and Sommerville, J.

The obligation was then administered to the officers of the order by the organizer. Short addresses were made by Brother Shields, of Moosejaw, and Brother Pringle, of Everett lodges.

### A. O. F. MEETING.

The members of Court Beaver House, Ancient Order of Foresters, tendered a reception to their high court officer, Bro. F. G. Brett, of Toronto, High Court Junior Woodward. The chair was occupied by the district chief ranger, Bro. W. A. Griesbach, and congratulatory remarks were made by Bros. Kenneth, Palmer, Dr. White-law, Saigon, Hencher and others.

Brett expressed his pleasure at being present in such a live court, in a live city, and stated that the executive council had intrusted him to come out and visit the brethren, to stimulate the order into new growth in the smaller towns, and to explain the various plans of insurance and sick pay connected with the order.

The order which is established in all parts of the world, having 5,000 branches and 912,000 of a membership and an income of \$6,000,000, was established in Canada in 1881, and during this past year they have paid out to our Canadian brothers 10,788 applications for sick pay alone, amounting to \$261,566.

Brett is at Hotel Cecil and will be pleased to make the acquaintance of any Foresters in this city who belong to other courts.

A valuable jewel was presented to Past District Chief Ranger Bro. R. Kenneth, for his services in the district during the years 1905 and 1906.

Principal Riddell opened the proceeding with some very timely and fitting remarks on the value of athletics in student life. As the name of each prize winner was called and the reward presented, the recipient was asked to make a speech.

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One young man said: "This pic-

ture is the nucleus of a home." Another showed his ancestral trait by saying: "I have been in Canada for eighteen months and Wednesday afternoon was the happiest evening I have spent since I came here;" and then he wished that another day of sports might come soon as he needed a fur coat for the winter.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the finance committee for their excellent work, and the appreciation of the college and student body is thus publicly extended to the contributors of prizes to the events before published.

The following are the names of the men and firms who helped along the field day and indirectly, we also hope, the bringing into the life of the west a desire for more amateur athletics: Mr. T. M. Turnbull, manager Bank of Commerce; Mr. A. C. Fraser, manager Merchants' Bank; Mr. S. S. Short, Mr. C. M. Tait, Mr. Bruce Powley, Mr. J. I. Mills, Mr. K. W. Mackenzie, Mr. John A. McDonald, Mr. H. N. Dodge, Messrs. Hallier & Aldridge, Mr. J. Duane, Mr. Jamieson W. Johnston, Mr. W. C. Rogers, Mr. W. S. Campbell, Messrs. Ross Bros., Mr. E. J. Hart, Mr. C. D. Rogers, Mr. H. A. Magoon, Messrs. Jackson Bros., Messrs. Crafts & Lee, Messrs. Gariepy & Lessard, Edmonton Clothing Co., Messrs. Stanley & Jackson, Mr. K. C. Pickle, Hudson's Bay, Douglas Co., Ltd., Mr. A. Butchart, Mr. E. M. Carpenter, Messrs. Lund & McLeod, Edmonton Printing Publishing Co., Messrs. Blawie & Henry, Messrs. J. H. Morris & Co., Mr. Wm. McAuley, Mr. D. McRae, Dr. Nicholls, Mr. P. H. Glass, Mr. A. Crystal, Messrs. J. Sommerville & Sons, Edmonton Bulletin, Mr. J. P. Clinton, Mr. W. V. Newson and Mr. W. J. Hobbs.

### OCTOBER WEATHER.

Meteorological Station, Edmonton, Nov. 1—Reading maximum and minimum thermometers for October, 1906. Date Max. Min.

Date	Max.	Min.
1	62	43
2	61	35
3	47	37
4	61	34
5	54	34
6	54	44
7	42	39
8	48	27
9	72	34
10	78	40
11	68	46
12	64	44
13	64	35
14	56	46
15	66	28
16	60	36
17	57	33
18	47	33
19	42	36
20	46	30
21	49	25
22	55	28
23	60	28
24	60	37
25	48	36
26	49	35
27	48	27
28	49	41
29	50	24
30	53	32
31	51	24

Mean temperature, 44.53. Rainfall, 0.54 inches.

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With this issue of the Bulletin we wish to call your attention to our very large stock of fall and winter goods, bought for cash, and marked to sell at the very lowest prices consistent with good quality. Below we quote you a few lines that may interest you, if these do not we have plenty that will.

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Just arrived from the Bradley Shoe Co., of Chicago, a dainty line of Ladies' White Kid Slippers, one and four strap styles; prices \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50 per pair.

## Ladies' Fine Shoes

With the approach of winter we would call your attention to the special fall and winter styles in the famous "Dorothy Dodd" shoe for ladies.



We are showing some specially nice lines in Gun Metal, Vici Kid, and Patent, made with extension soles, very suitable for this time of the year. Prices \$4.50 and \$5.00 per pair.

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## Committee Investigated Contractor's Charges

(Continued from page 1.)

self and the commissioners, causing a loss of \$314 on cement alone in the last two weeks.

Mr. Keely, in answer stated that the loss in the cement was due to the fact that the trench was not excavated true and therefore that there was no concrete required.

Mr. Taylor answered that they had caves, but that the caves were planked to get the right size of trench to build the concrete in. He said that the inspector complained right along that the trench was too narrow. According to their own figures, Mr. Taylor concluded that the concrete was being put in at 4 1/2 to 1 instead of 1 1/2 and 1. They measured on the box of the cement mixer, but he complained that the inspector stopped them from filling up the box to the mark.

Mr. Black, the inspector, claimed that the box was filled to the mark. He showed his figures to indicate how much cement was used, but these figures did not correspond with Mr. Taylor's figures. Later Mr. Black stated that there was no mark. He said that the sewer had caves, but admitted when questioned by Mr. Hyndman that the caves had been planked, and that in the last 30 feet (the part of the work on which specific complaint was made) there had been no caves at all. He also admitted that he had complained that the trench was taken out too narrow.

To the charge that the engineer had failed to give grade stakes from the 19th of September to October 20th, causing a loss to the contractors of \$62 65 a day, Mr. Keely said that he had never told Mr. Taylor that the grade stakes would be placed and he denied that he made a promise to give the grade stakes on September 19th.

Mr. Taylor said that he could not prove by word that he had been promised the grade stakes, but he thought his actions proved his case. He claimed that the commissioners had deliberated for five days before they were allowed to move their shovel from Rat Creek to Fifth street. He did not personally apply to the commissioners, but made his request to the city engineer.

Mr. Keely said that Mr. Taylor had found that he could not go on with the Rat Creek work as he had no concrete mixer, and he had delayed waiting for a concrete mixer to arrive.

Mr. Taylor denied that he con-

crete mixer had been mentioned at all in this connection. He said that between the 19th of September and the 1st of October he had applied frequently for grade stakes, as often as three times in a day.

Mr. Keely denied that Mr. Taylor had applied for grade stakes.

In answer to Mr. Hyndman, Mr. Keely said he did not know the date on which the machine was moved to Fifth street, nor when the stakes were set.

Mr. Taylor stated that he had applied for pipe on several occasions, and that there was only 40 feet of pipe on the ground, which he believed he could lay in an hour.

Mr. Keely stated that 40 feet of pipe was more than was laid in the 10 days after the steam shovel was started, and that the Taylor company never laid 40 feet in an hour.

Mr. Taylor claimed that they did lay 40 feet an hour—that they laid 60 feet with the municipal trencher, and that they were delayed with the big machine on account of shortage of pipe; that he had to take his own teams and bring over pipe from the warehouse. He charged that the engineer did not want the work started on Fifth street at all, even after he had given the permission.

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Mr. Bellamy said that he did not think it was necessary to answer that question.

The next point was the question of wages. Mr. Taylor said that Mr. Boucher and the waterworks contractor and city engineer had decided that the scale of wages would be 22 1/2 cents an hour, and that when he noticed this to effect the city kept its scale at 25 cents and that men came to his works and took his men away and that he found these men working on city work.

Mr. Keely said that he had intended to cut the wages to 22 1/2 cents

in case all the contractors did the same, but he found that the contractors had entered into an agreement with the labor unions, and could not cut the wages.

The charge that the city had employed as inspector a Mr. Bailey, who had been discharged as an employee of the Taylor Company, was granted by the engineer without question, but the engineer claimed that Mr. Taylor had not a competent foreman in his employ, and that the inspectors had to be down in the trench showing the men how to set the forms.

Mr. Taylor said that was just what he objected to. He said the inspectors and not the foreman were running the job. As for the statement that the Taylor company had no competent foreman, Mr. Taylor pointed out that the city paid inspectors \$3 and that he paid foremen \$5. He asked which was likely to get the competent men.

Mr. Taylor claimed further that the inspector stopped them for three days to remove a hump in the trunk sewer, during which time they were not allowed to put in any concrete, costing them \$125 a day.

**EDMONTON MARKETS.**  
Hay—Slough grass \$8 to \$10; upland prairie hay \$11 to \$14; timothy \$10; potatoes 25c to 35c.

**CITY MARKETS.**

Hay—Slough grass \$9. Highland hay \$15 to \$18 a ton. Timothy \$16 to \$18. Green feed 2 1/2 a sh. at \$8 or \$9 to \$17 a ton.

Coal \$3.50 to \$4.

Potatoes 20c. to 25c. a bushel.

Oats 20c. to 25c.

**PRODUCE.**

Edmonton Produce Co., quote eggs 20c. butter 15 to 15 1/2c. Whitehall & Co. quote eggs, 25c., butter prints, 25c., tubs; Garriery & Lessard quote eggs 25c., butter prints 20c., to 25c.; Garriery & Lessard quote eggs 25c., butter prints 20c., to 25c.; Dougall & Son quote eggs 25c., tubs, 15c. 20c.; Dougall & Son quote eggs 25c., butter in prints 22 1/2c.; tub, 14 1/2c.; Hudson's Bay quote eggs strictly fresh and new laid 21 1/2c.; tub, 25c., butter in prints 21 1/2c.; tub, 14 1/2c.; Revillers Bros. quote eggs 25c., butter in prints 20 to 25c.

**WINNIPEG MARKETS.**

(Commercial)  
Produce—Potatoes 50c per bushel, carrots 50c; carrots 50c a dozen; red cabbage 90c a dozen; beets 50c a bushel; turnips 25c. bushel.

Cheese—Ontario is quote' at 15c@15c; twins 15 1/2c@16c; and Manitoba 14 1/2c.; twins 15c.

Butter—Creamery—Jobbers are asking for choice creamery, fresh churned, bricks, 30c per lb.; held butter, bricks, 27c; bulk, 26c.

Butter—Dairy—Jobbers are paying for selections 21c; good yellow 18c; 16c; pastry, 16c.

Eggs—Advanced another 1c this week. Winnipeg Jobbers are paying 23 1/2c for fresh eggs at Winnipeg; glycerized eggs are quoted at 25c.

Dressed Meats—There is a good demand for fresh meats. Prices remain unchanged. We quote: Beef 5 1/2c for city dressed; mutton, fresh killed, 12 1/2c; veal, fresh killed, 8 1/2c; dressed hogs, abattoir killed, 11 1/2c; lamb, 16c.

Boult—Jobbers are paying for live weight: Fowl, 8c; chickens, 10c; turkeys, 14c; ducks, 8c; f.o.b. Winnipeg.

Hides—There is still no change to report. We quote: 8 1/2c@9 3/4c for country hides; sheepskins, 25c@30c.

Tallow—No. 1 tallow is worth 4 1/2c per lb.; No. 2, 3 1/2c. delivered to the trade.

## LIVE STOCK.

Cattle—There was a big movement of cattle this week, and a large number were exported. We quote: Best butchers' cattle at 3 1/4c cents; lower grades 3c. Good export cattle are 3 1/4c@3 1/2c; cows 8c, weighed off the cars; Winnipeg buyers assuming freight charges.

Sheep—Choice mutton sheep are worth 6c; and lower grades 5 cents; lamb, 7 1/2c.

Hogs—Live hogs from 150 to 250 pounds are bringing 7 1/2c; 250 to 300 pound hogs 6 1/2c off the cars at Winnipeg.

**GRAIN AND FEED.**  
There is a good volume of grain and feed business being done and prices generally are steady. Oats are easier. Flaxseed is 2c higher this week, and No. 3 barley up to 4c.

## QUOTATIONS.

Milkfeed—Bran \$16.50 per ton in bulk delivered to the trade; shorts, \$18.50.

Ground feed—Oat chaff, \$26 per ton, delivered to the trade; barley chaff, \$26 per ton; mixed barley and oats, \$24; oil cake, \$27 per ton.

Oats—No. 1 oats, 34c; No. 2 oats, 33 1/2c per bushel; carlots on track in Winnipeg.

Bailey—No. 3, 40c per bushel; No. 4 38c per bushel; carlots on track here.

Flaxseed—\$1.12 per bushel for No. 1.

Hay—Fresh bailed in carlots on track, 9 1/2c@10c; loose hay, farmers' loads \$9@10c; timothy, 9 1/2c@11c.

## WILL ENTERTAIN

Ottawa, Oct. 28.—T. G. Nosse, Consul General for Japan, next Saturday evening, on the occasion of the birthday of the Emperor of Japan, will give a great dinner, to which the parliamentary leaders, railway magnates, of the Dominion, and many other guests, both from Canada and United States, will be invited. The event promises to be one of the best and most unique banquets of the season.

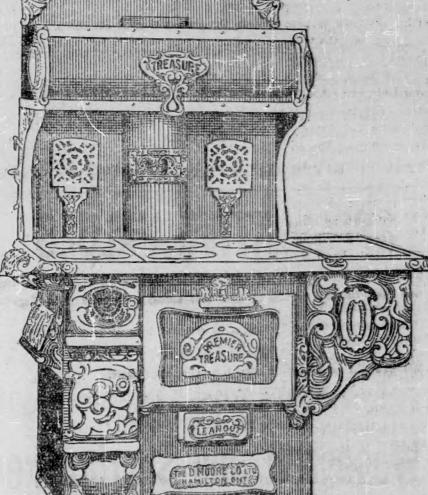
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## China in Process

## of Transformation.

By Everard Cotes in the Toronto Globe.

Pekin, Sept. 15.—The journey by rail to Pekin from Hankow, in middle China, is easy, a train de luxe running once a week. I found my way to the gusty Hankow railway station in a creaking jinrikishaw, in the dark, and was received by a civil French-speaking Chinese station master. My fellow passengers included Germans, Frenchmen, Chinese, Japanese and British. We were stowed quickly into comfortable berths, and moved smoothly off to a n accompaniment of loud banzai from Japanese who were upon the platform with their women-folk to say good-bye to a compatriot.

Chinese newspapers at the moment were reporting gravely the existence of a rebellion in the province of Honan, through which we were to pass. One of them went so far as to allege that four hundred people had been killed, but we knew nothing of the story at the time, and I am afraid I cannot describe our journey as even adventurous. We found out afterwards that such disturbance had occurred had been put down some weeks before by some of the Nanking Viceroy's troops. The published report was both exaggerated and belated.

**NOT LIKE SOUTH AMERICA.** Rebellion in China, as a rule, is a comparatively harmless affair. The people inform the Governor that his exactions are in excess of custom and that he must reduce them. If he agrees the matter ends. If not, there is a demonstration, and perhaps some shooting, but this is only preliminary to a compromise, for the Pekin government never backs up its officials when force has to be resorted to, and the people have far too much respect for authority to push any successes to extremes. The troops boast of the numbers of the enemy they have killed, but the fighting does not often amount to very much. A typical story is told of the taotai of a city which shall be nameless, who claimed to have put down a rebellion, but explained, when pressed for particulars, that it had not been necessary to fight, since, by happy inspiration, he had taken out a tiger skin, which so frightened the insurgents that they had all run away.

**IN THE YANGTSE VALLEY.** The train ran during the night northwards from Hankow through the flat valley of the Yangtse River. Wooded hills came down on either side of us at dawn, when we crossed the watershed into the Yellow River basin. All the rest of the five hundred miles to Pekin were through level country. The only big natural obstacle was the Yellow river. The line runs right across the middle of China. It has been built by a company of enterprising Belgians, of whom so many hard things have been said that I feel almost apologetic in having failed to recognize any iniquities. If the engineering work cost more than the projectors expected, and if it be not as solid as on some other railways, I can only say that the train travelled remarkably steady and fast, that the food in the teahouse was good, the sheets in the wagon-de-li clean, the officials invariably civil and the fare demanded of me reasonable. If the undertaking be, as has been alleged, an integral part of a Russo-French scheme to rule an iron line across China from Tonkin to Shensi, and to squeeze Englishmen out of the country, I must admit that I have found it a convenient link between the British ship I landed from at Hankow and the British bank which cashed my note of credit in Pekin.

**A LINE THAT COUNTS.** There is, of course, no getting over the importance of the line. For patriotic reasons I sympathize with the wish that my own fellow countrymen had had the building of it. I admire the more the enterprise of the men who secured the undertaking. The robber in me swelled with covetousness as the richness of the country through which we travelled unfolded itself. I found myself asking again and again, What could not Indian civilians have made of such a country, and its millions of industrious, peace-loving, law-abiding inhabitants?

For six hundred miles, from Shanghai to Hankow, as I sailed up the Yangtse river, crops had stretched as far as my eyes could carry on either bank. Now, carefully tilled field after field, bearing promise of heavy harvest, extended for five hundred

now the range of hills which ended abruptly at the railway. The river bed beyond streaked indefinitely into a wide expanse of girders stretched out over what seemed to be some miles of a desert streaked with winding peat-soup streams.

**LIFE ALONG THE RIVER.** Cautionily we rumbled forward and looked down through open framework far below upon alternating dusty stretches and rushing water. In places, the streams were grubbing, like a terrier after a rat, at the base of the perilously slender columns which supported the track. One wondered how much of the foundations had been undermined since the last preceding train had crossed. Some of the dusty stretches were dotted with hundreds of blue human ants toiling to build up at the more seriously threatened points breakwaters of sand, which the water may or may not respect when it rises. Down-stream a hundred junks floated placidly upon an expansion of the river, their sails gleaming swan-like in the strong midday light.

The prolonged rumble of unstable girders gave place at length to the substantial hum of metallized permanence. We had reached the farther bank, and the train took heart and quickened its pace. We sped through flat, low-lying country across a flimsy embankment a few feet high, which gives the river bed on the northern shore some slight hint as to the course intended for it, a hint which appears to be omitted altogether beyond the hills on the southern bank.

Miserable huts, where once were thriving villages, reminded us that the population, over thousands of fertile square miles, have not yet recovered from the floods in which millions of human beings perished barely a generation ago. The river still flows in the channel which it carved in summer fury, when it changed its course from the south to the north of the Shantung Peninsula and adopted the Pechili Gulf in place of the Yellow Sea, for its outfall. It is an obstacle which must always cause much

anxiety to the railway.

## SCENES BY THE WAY.

At almost every station where the train stopped we found a crowd of blue-coated Chinese countrymen prepared to take intelligent interest in our affairs. Of local traffic there was little, for few but foreigners travel by express in China, the man of the country preferring cheaper means of conveyance. The people had marched in sometimes long distances to look at us. In only rare instances did they either beg or endeavor to dispose of inferior Chinese bronzes or more precious curios left upon their hands by unscrupulous dealers from Birmingham. At every stopping place was a soldier in black coat and red hieroglyphics, carrying an 1888 pattern mauser rifle from the Hanyang arsenal, and proud to show us how smartly he could come to attention at the word of command. There was no ammunition in his pouch, but we felt we were being taken care of by the anxious Chinese government, which is always somewhere in the background to watch over the safety of that troublesome some stranger. At a surprisingly large number of apparently insignificant halting places we were received by a comfortable Belgian station master.

## A BRITISH ENTERPRISE.

A pair of steel rails glistening on a stone-ballasted side track which brached away upon the left reminded us that a British company, calling itself the Pekin Mining Syndicate, is developing a coal field in the middle of northwestern China, and some day will supply mineral of good quality to both Pekin and Hankow.

Eruptions of rough earth amongst smooth green tufts, with a cypress tree or two alongside and a substantial stone table in front, where ancestors' guests can sit conveniently to read inscriptions engraved by pious descendants upon expensive stone pillars, became more and more frequent features of the landscape as the second morning wore on. Pre-

dicted past as we ran was fended off by the car in front. It is exhilarating to travel through middle China on the Hankow-Pekin wagon-de-lit train-step, and ridiculously safe where one has a stout brass handle conveniently placed on either side, as I had to hold on to whenever a bridge beneath was deep or the soft, green, At breakfast the Belgian conductor reported that we were approaching the Yellow river bridge, so we were all upon the lookout for the embankments that the school primers talk about as protecting the country from flood. We houghed, at length, that we had discovered what we were looking for in the distance upon the left. It was a hundred feet high, and bore scrub jungle, joss houses and dwellings upon it. It was only too big and too much like a natural line of hills to satisfy our expectations. Then it stopped off unaccountably on the right of the track, where the country stretched away indefinitely upon precisely the same level as ourselves. Doubts about the school primer's information began to arise in our minds, and were confirmed when a geyser of water flashed out of a yellow desert of sand at the point where what we had imagined to be the embankment left off. The train stopped at the foot of the hill. A short tunnel through an outlying spur was in front. On the left was a wide, flat-bottomed gully, which ran into the range longitudinally, and afforded a vista of irregular masses of brown, bare, piled-up loam covered with slim black frameworks of bushy trees. The branches were thickening with budding leaves, too small as yet to throw any softening shadow upon the glaring dust.

## NOT LIKE THE BOOKS.

On the right a black giant millipede strode on long, thin legs into the distance across a waste of sand and water. The bridge was there indeed. The spur through which the railway tunneled alone concealed its head. There was no embankment. The line where the green crops ended and the yellow parterre of sand and water began stretched away to the horizon without break in level. There was nothing visible to prevent the peat-soup streams from extending when in flood over the cultivation to any extent. An illusion was destroyed which the hills on the left could not restore, however like embankments they might seem. It is possible that the Yellow river may live elsewhere upon its long course up to the traditions of a stream embanked upon either side until it is high above the surrounding country. It does nothing of the kind, so far as I could see at the point where the Belgian railway crosses it.

There was barely time to take a photograph of the gorge before the train plunged into the tunnel through the spur and the roar of reverberating steel girders announced that we were upon the bridge. Behind us, lining the channel upon the left, was

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